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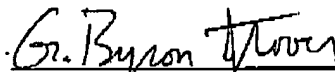
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For: Methods of Improving Shrink-Resistance of Natural Fibers, Synthetic Fibers, or Mixtures Thereof, or Fabric or Yarn Composed of Natural Fibers, Synthetic Fibers, or Mixtures Thereof

AMENDMENT

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In complete response to the Office Action dated 12 September 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: